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BARRETT HAILS SENATE PASSAGE OF COMPACT, URGES ASSEMBLY APPROVAL

Milwaukee Mayor Tom Barrett issued the following statement today on State Senate Passage of the Great Lakes Compact:

“Today’s overwhelming, bipartisan vote in the State Senate to protect our precious Great Lakes resources is a proud moment for Wisconsin. I am pleased the Senate passed the original Great Lakes Compact language and resisted attempts to revise or amend this landmark agreement.

The Great Lakes Compact is essential to protect the world’s largest freshwater system, and I sincerely urge the Assembly to approve the Compact in a bipartisan way. The Great Lakes Compact benefits everyone in Wisconsin, and the Great Lakes region needs its safeguards in place as soon as possible.”